

SHREVEPORT POLICE DEPARTMENT

2005

ANNUAL CRIME REPORT

STAY INFORMED

CRIMEWEB.NET

THE CRIMEWEB NETWORK

Cash Rewards
for Leads
to Arrests

CRIMESTOPPERS
673-7373

Don't

for the Other Guy

BACK
THE
BADGE

PROJECT
SAFE
NEIGHBORHOODS

America's Network Against Gun Violence

Operation
WEED & SEED
Shreveport, La.

BE A "GOOD
NEIGHBOR"

NEIGHBORHOOD
CRIME WATCH

Immediately report
SUSPICIOUS PERSONS and
activities to our Police Dept.

Police Pastor Program

Police Pastors' Program

Midseason report card

Bent out of shape?

The Times

Crime lowest in 25 years

Bin Laden tape offers a truce

Convention center opens to rave reviews

Area to see quick-meal revolution?

Facility's grand opening to be held in March

Rates on the rise

Dogs thought dead are actually alive

UL System president, city officials to discuss GSU president

A MESSAGE FROM CHIEF MIKE CAMPBELL



Shreveport Police Department marked the lowest crime rate in 25 years during the Year of 2005, with crime fighting and manpower the highlights of the year. In 2005, the department responded to 305,871 calls for service. Overall property crime decreased by 12 percent and violent crime increased 2 percent. The department strengthened its force to nearly 700 employees – 536 sworn police officers, 31 jailers, 45 communications officers and 82 full-time classified employees.

A manpower study conducted by Peter Bellmio was concluded in 2005, with the department making several changes. Shift hours were adjusted, and police districts were redrawn. The new boundary lines were approved in late 2005 and went into effect Jan. 1, 2006. By redrawing the district lines, the workload is distributed more evenly across the city. This allows officers to stay within their assigned areas, instead of having to enter other districts to respond and assist with calls.

In 2005, the Shreveport City Council also adopted a new alarm ordinance, designed to put more responsibility on alarm users and owners. This is projected to cut down on false alarm calls, thereby allowing officers to spend more time answering true calls for service and conducting “proactive policing” to address crime problems in their beats.

The Police Department also purchased more Taser weapons, which allowed officers other than those on patrol to carry one. The Tasers are a less lethal alternative to service weapons and have proven to be an effective tool for officers to safely gain compliance from combative subjects.

The new Shreveport City Jail on Hope Street marked its first anniversary in October with much success. In August, SPD officers booked 1,018 prisoners – quite possibly setting a record number of arrests in the city for one month.

Police Patrol saw quite a few changes in 2005 with the construction of a new Patrol Desk that consolidated the Patrol Desk with the Service Desk. As part of this redesign, complaint-takers were relocated to the Patrol Wing, taking calls from citizens who arrived at the Patrol Desk to file reports.

In addition, more than two dozen Chevy Impalas were purchased and outfitted for patrol officers. In addition, grants secured by the department allowed for the purchase of about 200 mobile radios that were installed in patrol units and will improve communications between public safety agencies throughout the region.

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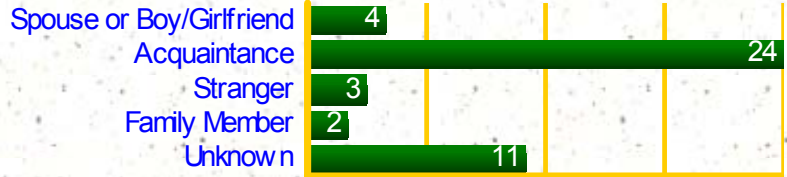


CITY OF SHREVEPORT AT A GLANCE

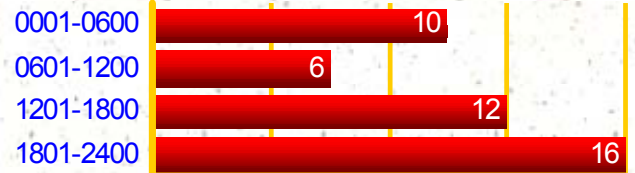


HOMICIDES

BY RELATIONSHIP OF VICTIM TO OFFENDER



BY TIME OF DAY (24 HOUR CLOCK)



BY WEAPON USED



VICTIMS BY AGE GROUPS

	(-)16	17-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60(+)
Homicide	1	22	7	9	4	1
Rape	3	88	29	12	5	1
Person Robbery	12	229	92	97	61	34
Assault *	35	713	328	252	86	17
Residential Burglary	0	786	495	415	269	296
Thefts (non-business)	72	2,291	1,583	1,498	715	680
Auto Theft	2	322	184	238	170	99
Total	125	4,451	2,718	2,521	1,310	1,128
Violent Crime	51	1,052	456	370	156	53
Property Crime	74	3,399	2,262	2,151	1,154	1,075

* Aggravated Assault and Aggravated Battery

SELECTED CRIMINAL OFFENSES BY DISTRICT

- #1 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive area
- #2 Freestate, Cherokee Park, North Highlands
- #3 Allendale, Lakeside
- #4 Queensborough
- #5 Highland, Stoner Hill
- #6 Broadmoor, Anderson Island, Shreve Island, Shreve City
- #7 Caddo Heights, South Highland
- #8 Springlake, University Terrace, Broadmoor Terrace, South Broadmoor
- #9 Cedar Grove, Lynbrook

- #10 Sunset Acres, Garden Valley, Morningside
- #11 Mooretown and Hollywood Heights
- #12 Country Club Hills, Lakeshore Shopping
- #13 Western Hills and Yarborough Subdivisions
- #14 Airport, Pines Road, area south of I-20
- #15 Jenkins Subdivision, Pineroft Subdivision, Southern Hills west of Mansfield Road
- #16 Hyde Park, Brookwood, Southern Hills east of Mansfield Road
- #17 Ellerbe Woods
- #18 Downtown & Riverfront

Districts

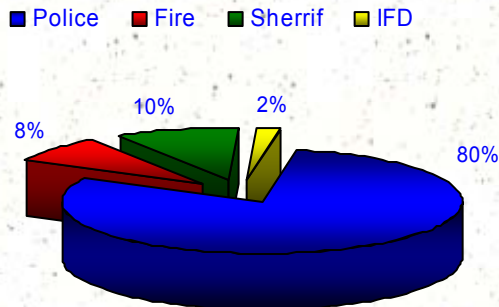
	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6	#7	#8	#9	#10	#11	#12	#13	#14	#15	#16	#17	#18	Total
Homicide	4	0	7	1	5	0	4	2	9	3	7	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	44
Rape	8	6	14	13	15	5	9	3	21	9	7	5	3	6	4	6	0	4	138
Person Robbery	15	21	71	37	72	16	36	20	81	46	29	20	5	15	11	6	3	21	525
Bus. Robbery	0	6	5	4	4	6	11	10	5	13	5	4	2	9	10	6	1	2	103
Aggravated Battery	58	35	84	102	97	19	51	29	153	66	39	19	10	16	19	17	5	31	850
Aggravated Assault	41	25	52	48	62	23	51	19	85	66	25	17	9	11	18	14	4	11	581
Residential Burglary	143	83	185	154	268	85	176	105	313	257	77	91	61	89	60	93	16	5	2,261
Business Burglary	28	60	69	41	59	38	36	42	94	61	16	36	9	28	27	15	18	35	712
Purse Snatching	0	2	5	8	4	5	8	5	3	7	1	3	0	1	4	4	0	6	66
Shoplifting	20	69	6	85	128	90	148	206	140	129	10	49	27	145	184	49	4	8	1,497
Theft from Business	16	46	19	28	41	22	26	61	48	33	21	30	13	39	33	30	11	39	556
Theft from Resident	45	50	65	80	126	61	77	51	106	107	47	52	21	38	41	59	11	8	1,045
Auto Accessory Theft	16	13	22	30	14	17	16	38	36	37	17	13	9	18	21	18	0	9	344
Theft from Auto	97	105	85	141	200	190	176	290	189	130	68	118	62	141	116	155	25	144	2,432
Theft General	78	163	135	201	275	185	181	286	256	214	130	122	66	164	151	147	32	167	2,953
Auto Theft	38	46	53	81	119	52	66	65	94	60	51	71	28	53	40	42	5	51	1,015
Total	607	730	877	1,054	1,489	814	1,072	1,232	1,633	1,238	550	651	326	773	739	661	135	541	15,122
Violent Crime	126	93	233	205	255	69	162	83	354	203	112	66	30	57	62	49	13	69	2,241
Property Crime	481	637	644	849	1,234	745	910	1,149	1,279	1,035	438	585	296	716	677	612	122	472	12,881

COMMUNICATIONS

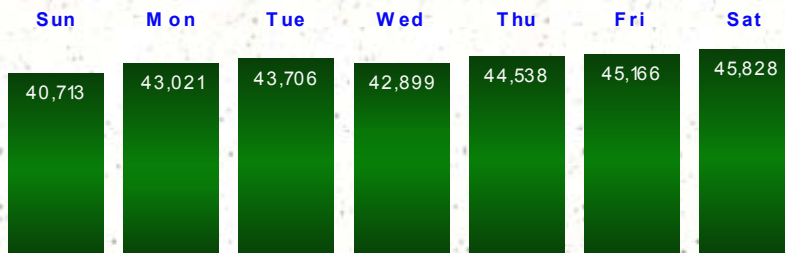


The Joint Communications Center serves the Caddo Sheriff's Office, Shreveport Police Department and Shreveport Fire Department

CAD EVENTS BY 911 AGENCIES



CALLS FOR SERVICE BY DAY OF WEEK



CALLS FOR SERVICE BY SHIFT

(24 Hour Clock)

2300-0659

0700-1459

1500-2259

76,310

108,729

120,832



Shreveport Police Communications Officers received 305,871 calls for service in 2005

MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS

Call Transfers by Voice Recognition System	152,910
Calls Received via 911	113,736
CAD Events Recorded	305,871
CAD Events Monthly Average	25,489

CALLS FOR SERVICE ♦ ACTIVITY BY SIGNAL TYPE

911 Hang-Up	6,748	Disorderly Person	9,405	Loud Music	4,359	Silent Alarm	19,086
Abandoned Vehicle	2,338	Disturbance	7,054	Major Accident	1,803	Simple Robbery	170
Animal Complaint	1,203	Domestic Trouble	1,575	Major Hit & Run	71	Special Assignment	5,226
Armed Robbery	467	Drug Activity	1,539	Minor Accident	11,511	Speeding	236
Armed Suspect	1,666	Drunk	374	Minor Hit & Run	2,589	Stabbing	276
Assist Motorist	7,174	EMS Call	1,801	Missing Child	643	Stalking	173
Assist Officer	637	Escort	301	Missing Person Adult	455	Suicide	17
Audible Alarm	694	Execute Warrant	2,800	Motorcycle Complaint	285	Suspicious Activity	13,923
Auto Theft	2,783	Explosion	1	Neighborhood Traffic Ck.	3,862	Tactical Patrol	53,511
Broken Main/Pipe	63	Fight	2,656	Parking Complaint	1,486	Theft	9,314
Burglary	3,797	Fire	1,168	Periodic Check	4,720	Traffic Complaint	1571
C&R Driver	1,026	Follow-up Investigation	1,804	Physical Assault	6,641	Traffic Stop	24,273
CCAR Investigation	836	Foot/Bike Patrol	508	Prowler	522	Transport	2,965
Commitment Order	401	Gang Activity	10	Purse Snatching	80	Unknown Trouble	1,271
Contact-Business	19,233	Hazmat	32	Render Aide	308	Utility Line Down	216
Contact-Citizen	3,090	Holdup Alarm	757	Reserved for Future Use	1,382	Vandalism	3,665
Contact-Meeting	258	Illegal Dumping	43	Road Hazard	1,409	Vehicle Burglary	2,437
Contact-School	115	Indecent Exposure	264	See Complainant	19,338	Welfare Concern	5,788
Crime Scene Investigation	933	Juvenile Complaint	5,849	Sexual Assault	449	Welfare Check	112
D.U.I.	164	Kidnapping	32	Shooting	343		
Deceased Person	158	Loitering/Trespassing	3,684	Shoplifting	769		
Deliver Message	175	Loose Livestock	66	Shots Fired	2,934		
						Total Calls	305,871

TRAFFIC



51,934 traffic citations were issued in 2005

TRAFFIC CITATIONS

Careless Operation	921
Child Restraint	546
DWI	1,372
Fail to Yield	453
Following too Close	189
Hit & Run	188
Improper Passing	136
Insurance	5,628
Loud Music	1,481
Negligent Injury	13
No/Expired Driver License	4,824
No Headlights	286
No Taillights/Brakelights	282
Open Container	102
Red Light	2,358
Registration	1,417
School Zone Violation	964
Seat Belts	7,714
Speeding	10,169
Stickers/Tags	4,924
Stop Sign	945
Suspended Driver License	2,216
Other Charges	4,806
Total Citations	51,934

Officers responded to 9,887 accidents in 2005



ACCIDENT STATISTICS

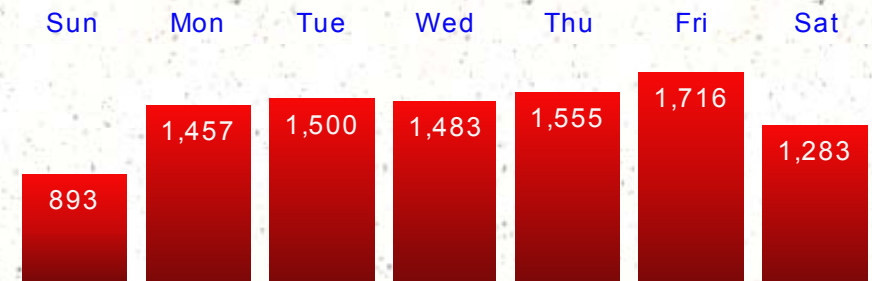
Total Accidents	9,887	Total Persons Involved	19,743
A.M. Accidents	3,067	Fatal	29
P.M. Accidents	6,820	Severe Injury	102
Intersection Accidents	6,797	Moderate Injury	919
Non-Intersection Accidents	3,090	Minor/Possible Injury	3,068
Total Pedestrians Involved	19	No Injury	15,625
Fatal	3	Total Drivers	17,597
Injured	14	Male Drivers	9,050
No Injury	2	Female Drivers	8,547

ACCIDENTS BY TIME OF DAY

(24 Hour Clock)



ACCIDENTS BY DAY OF WEEK



An accident is classified as an intersection related accident if it occurred in the intersection or within 100 feet from the intersection.

TOP 10 INTERSECTION AND NON-INTERSECTIONS FOR ACCIDENTS

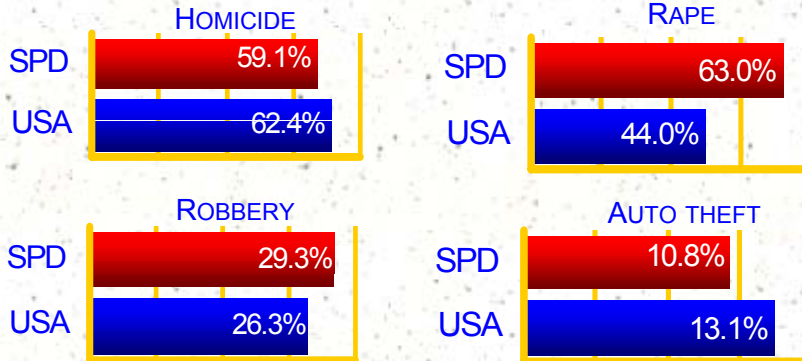
Intersection Accidents		Non-Intersection Accidents	
Youree & Bert Kouns	95	Bert Kouns	202
Spring & Lake	90	Interstate 20 (East & West)	191
Mansfield & Bert Kouns	69	Youree	191
Youree & 70th	58	Kings	157
Youree & Gator	37	70th	148
Market & Crockett	34	Market	93
Mansfield & 70th	29	Jewella	65
Spring & Fannin	21	Mansfield	58
Youree & Kings	18	Line	57
Spring & Milam	17	Hollywood	43

ARRESTS, SEIZURES & CLEARANCES



14,935 offenders were booked through the City Jail in 2005, compared to 10,775 in 2004, an 39% increase.

CLEARANCE RATES



OFFICE OF SPECIAL INVESTIGATIONS

ARRESTS/CITATIONS	
Felony Arrests	744
Misdemeanor Arrests	622
Prostitution/Solicitation Arrests	151
Underage Alcohol Violations	224
SEIZURES	
Weapons	202
Narcotics (# cases)	145
Vehicles	4
Money	\$673,579
Cocaine (Grams)	49,991
Cocaine (Street Value)	\$4,699,153
Marijuana (Grams)	1,001,034
Marijuana (Street Value)	\$10,010,345
Methamphetamine (Grams)	3,242
Methamphetamine (Street Value)	\$464,852
Other Drugs (Grams)	22,689
Other Drugs (Street Value)	\$1,568,662

USA rates obtained from the latest information available from the FBI.

ARREST REPORT

BY RACE

	W	B	O
Homicide	5	52	3
Rape	4	13	0
Robbery	11	66	0
Assault *	68	410	6
Burglary	82	327	3
Theft	393	1,056	19
Auto Theft	11	64	2
Part I Crimes	574	1,988	33
Other Assault	413	1,684	19
Forgery	24	69	1
Fraud	19	78	2
Stolen Property	11	63	1
Vandalism	94	290	1
Weapons	19	204	0
Prostitution	49	45	1
Sex Offenses	32	52	1
Narcotics	360	1,163	20
Gambling	6	8	4
D.W.I.	778	422	25
Liquor Laws	181	151	16
Drunk	4	1	0
Disorderly	106	829	6
Other Offenses	1,012	4,026	50
Part II Crimes	3,108	9,085	147
Grand Total	3,682	11,073	180

BY SEX

	M	F
Homicide	51	9
Rape	16	1
Robbery	73	4
Assault *	322	162
Burglary	377	35
Theft	961	507
Auto Theft	69	8
Part I Crimes	1,869	726
Other Assault	1,507	609
Forgery	51	43
Fraud	47	52
Stolen Property	61	14
Vandalism	261	124
Weapons	196	27
Prostitution	22	73
Sex Offenses	75	10
Narcotics	1,266	277
Gambling	13	5
D.W.I.	977	248
Liquor Laws	225	123
Drunk	4	1
Disorderly	492	449
Other Offenses	4,016	1,072
Part II Crimes	9,213	3,127
Grand Total	11,082	3,853

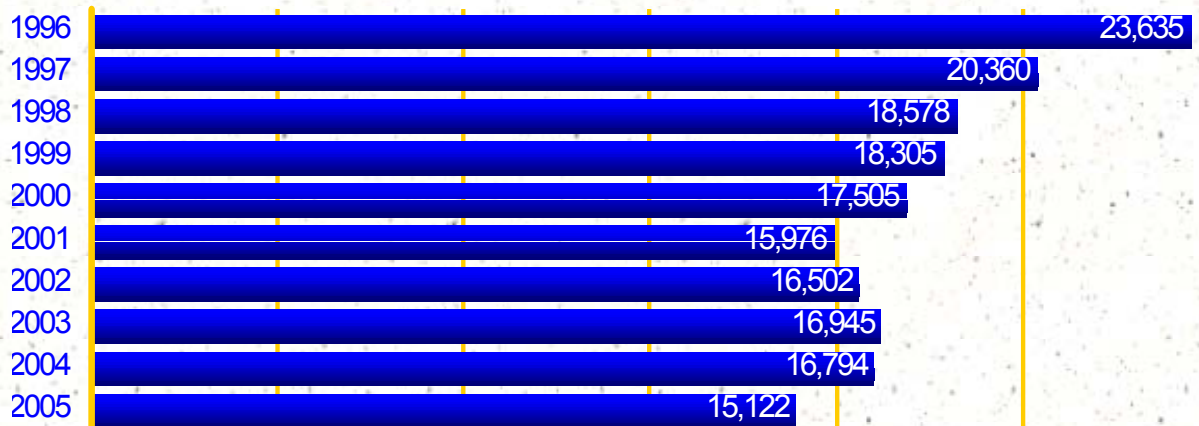
BY AGE

	(-)17	17-29	30-39	40(+)	Total
Homicide	0	39	12	9	60
Rape	0	8	3	6	17
Robbery	22	44	7	4	77
Assault *	69	226	85	104	484
Burglary	115	218	31	48	412
Theft	295	624	229	320	1,468
Auto Theft	18	45	10	4	77
Part I Crimes	519	1,204	377	495	2,595
Other Assault	405	870	413	428	2,116
Forgery	1	44	30	19	94
Fraud	2	62	18	17	99
Stolen Property	4	55	11	5	75
Vandalism	63	201	56	65	385
Weapons	48	139	19	17	223
Prostitution	0	28	29	38	95
Sex Offenses	12	30	17	26	85
Narcotics	88	872	290	293	1,543
Gambling	0	15	1	2	18
D.W.I.	5	496	294	430	1,225
Liquor Laws	26	226	28	68	348
Drunk	0	1	1	3	5
Disorderly	441	351	81	68	941
Other Offenses	730	2,345	921	1,092	5,088
Part II Crimes	1,825	5,735	2,209	2,571	12,340
Grand Total	2,344	6,939	2,586	3,066	14,935

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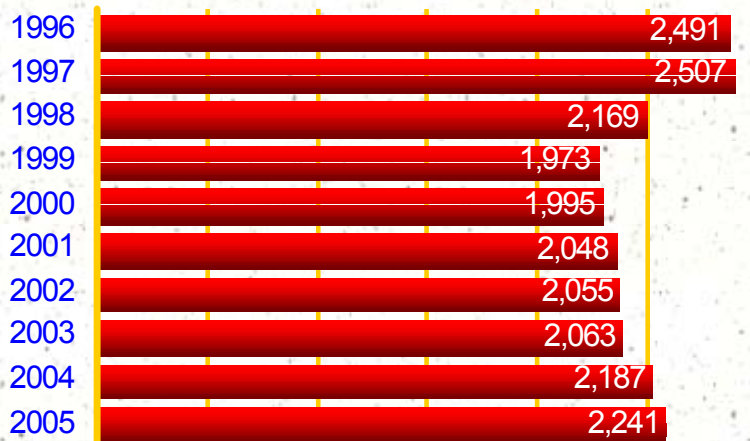
TRENDS AND COMPARISONS

PART I CRIME INDEX

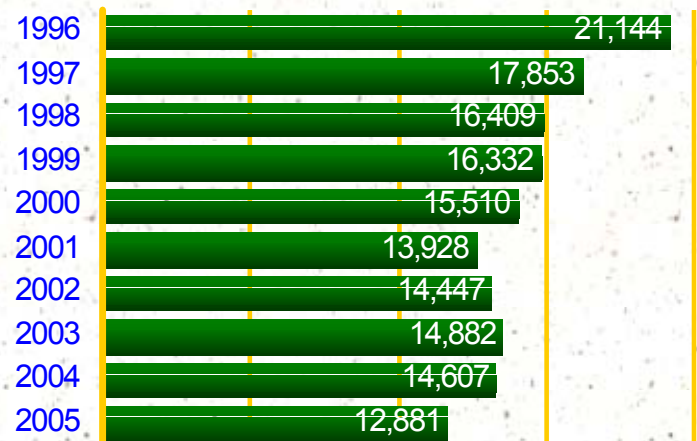


Shreveport Police Department classifies and reports its criminal statistics according to UCR guidelines. The Uniform Crime Reporting program is administered by the FBI and gauges crime fluctuation nationwide. Over 16,000 agencies participate in this program. To keep the data consistent throughout these agencies, UCR sets up guidelines for classifying and submitting data. This enables the different agencies to compare each other and to rank areas according to their crime. This program also designated seven offenses as an index to measure crime and group these offenses under Part I Crime. These offenses are violent crimes and prevalent property crimes. These indexes are used by most agencies to measure their fluctuation in crime.

VIOLENT CRIME INDEX



PROPERTY CRIME INDEX



PART I CRIMES TEN YEAR COMPARISON

	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2005-2004 Change
Homicide	60	43	37	36	56	36	44	49	40	44	+10%
Rape	133	148	129	116	113	117	119	106	135	138	+2%
Robbery	727	640	543	508	594	586	673	691	692	628	-9%
Assault*	1,571	1,676	1,460	1,313	1,232	1,309	1,219	1,217	1,320	1,431	+8%
Burglary	4,169	4,003	3,892	3,722	3,311	3,453	3,417	3,568	3,296	2,973	-10%
Theft	15,451	12,549	11,417	11,567	11,180	9,330	9,389	9,748	9,864	8,893	-10%
Auto Thefts	1,524	1,301	1,100	1,043	1,019	1,145	1,641	1,566	1,447	1,015	-30%
Total	23,635	20,360	18,578	18,305	17,505	15,976	16,502	16,945	16,794	15,122	-10%

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**CITY OF SHREVEPORT
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(2005)**

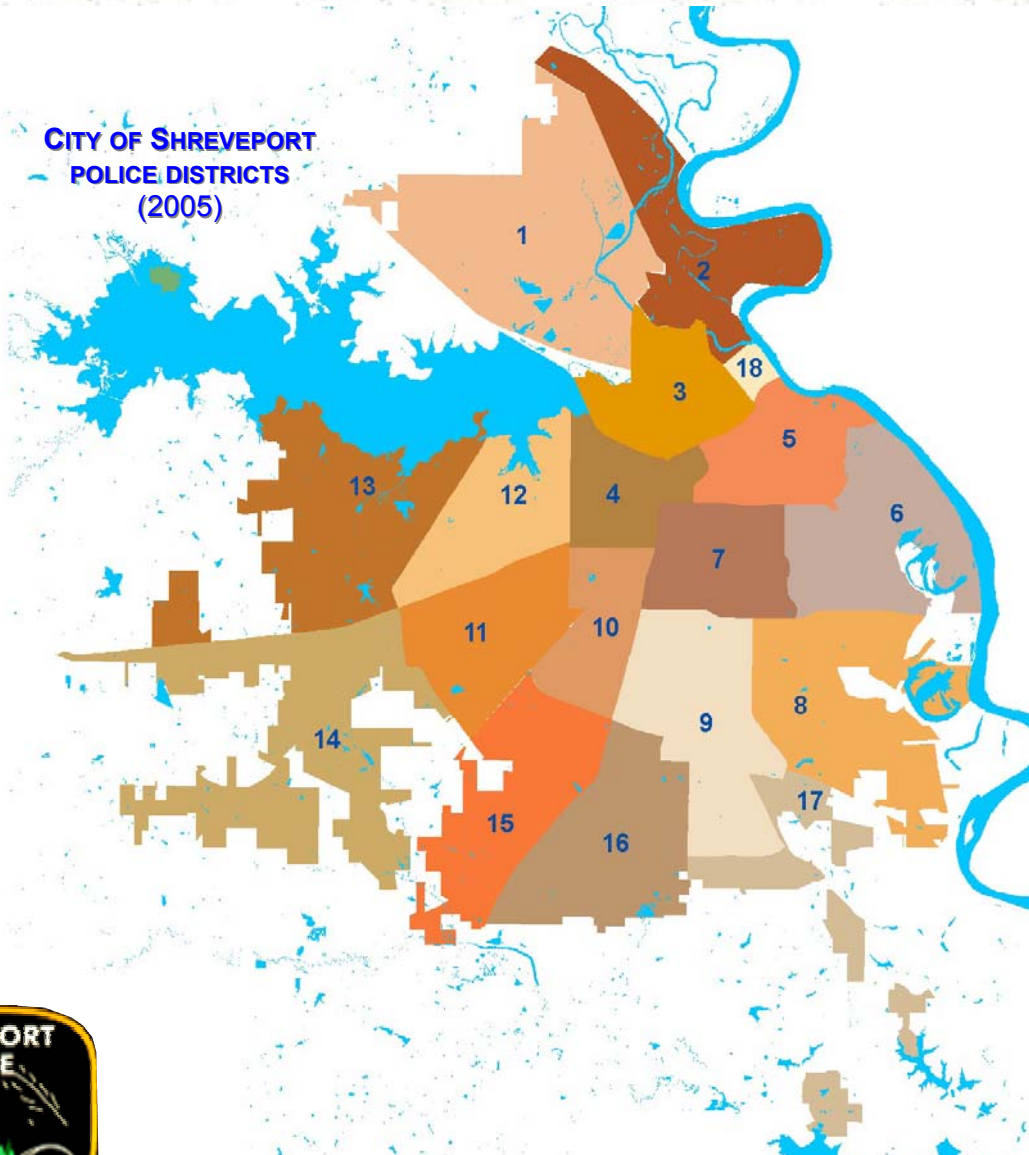


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